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JURY GETS GRAND THEFT CASE THIS AFTERNOON

DEFENDANTS FAIL TO TAKE STAND

Defense Counsel Offers No Testimony; Attacks Charges As Lacking Corroboration

The case against Mitchell D. Siderius and Robert Fields, charged with grand theft as a result of the Black Oak mine highgrading investigation, will go to the jury sometime this afternoon.

The prosecution closed Thursday afternoon and the trial entered its final phase rapidly as the defense Friday morning failed to call any witnesses to the stand and rested without offering any direct defense to the charges.

At the conclusion of the state's case, Defense Counsel Wallace Shepard had moved for a directed verdict and the motion was argued shortly after court convened Friday morning at nine o'clock and was, by the court, denied.

Thereafter District Attorney Henry S. Lyon moved to dismiss three counts of grand theft as brought against Robert Fields and two counts of grand theft as brought against Mitchell D. Siderius, for the reason that sufficient corroborating evidence to sustain them was lacking. The motion was granted.

It was at this point that the defense announced it would present no witnesses.

Opening argument for the prosecution was by C. W. Pearson, whom District Attorney had named as his associate.

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Celio Home From Bay Meeting

Building Industry Can Help Progress Of Recovery From Depression, He Declares

The building industry is facing an opportunity to lead the nation into an era of improved business and resumed recovery in the opinion of F. Norman Celio of the C. G. Celio and Sons Company, who has just returned from a building "Clinic" in San Francisco attended by more than 300 building material dealers.

He was accompanied to the meeting by Charles D. Tyler also of the C. G. Celio and Sons Co.

The conference, Mr. Celio said, was devoted to a study of methods by which the building industry could make it easier for people to build new homes and make home improvements.

"Everything is in the favor of the person who builds today," Mr. Celio declared. The house of today represents 40 to 50 per cent greater value than the house of a decade ago, at much less cost.

"In the modern house, every bit of space—which costs good money to build—is utilized for living and every detail is planned as never before. Insulation is a 'must' in almost every house and the homeowner no longer pays for heating the great outdoors. Automatic heating, air conditioning and concealed radiation makes life and living far more pleasant and far more healthful.

Modern kitchens are designed to save steps and labor. There is no impatient early-morning bath line in the hall, for modern demands call for at least two bathrooms. Plumbing is much more superior because for the first time copper and brass piping is being used on a considerable scale to supplant inferior materials of by-gone days. The structures are also better built and can have lifetime roofs and sidewalls that are fireproof, plus tight factory-built windows and efficient weather stripping."

In addition to all this Mr. Celio pointed out, the new long term, monthly payment plan of financing home-building or re-modeling has cut this cost as much as 85 per cent.

Mr. Celio declared that data presented at the meeting he attended showed convincingly that today a home is the best investment the American public can make.

Henry Bacchi was in town Friday from Lotus.

Mrs. Albert Gardner, of Greenwood, and Mrs. C. D. Hume, of Garden Valley, were among callers in the county seat on Friday.

Lions Perform Tonight On Softball Field

Placerville Lions have been called to meet at M. P. Bennett, Jr., Memorial Park at 5:30 o'clock tonight for their first practice in preparation for the opening of the coming softball season.

Lion John Palmer is the manager of the proposed club and he has issued a call for all lions, "trained and untrained," to put in an appearance for the first practice tonight.

JIM SCHROTH HEADS H. S. STUDENT BODY

Election Of Officers For Next School Year Held At School Friday Morning

Jim Schroth was elected president of the El Dorado County high school student body for the next school year at the annual election of officers Friday morning.

Edward Edleman was named vice-president and Frances Byrnes, secretary.

Other officers elected include Calvin Wright, finance commissioner; David Juster, commissioner of publicity; and Terry Thompson, entertainment commissioner.

The new officers will be installed at a student assembly during commencement week.

The election followed a brisk campaign in which the students displayed an active partisanship and were given opportunity, at stated times, to "take the stump" in behalf of the candidates for the various offices.

The president elect will succeed Chester Carsten.

SINGLE TAX METHODS SCORED IN TALK BY STEWART

TURLOCK. (U)—Fred E. Stewart, member of the state board of equalization, vigorously protested the single tax and methods employed in an effort to place it on the November ballot, before members of the central valley unit of the League of California Municipalities here last night.

City attorney W. Coburn Cook of Turlock and Louis Burk, attorney for the league, and Richard Graves, executive secretary, were other speakers on the program.

REPUBLICAN ASSEMBLY MEETS SATURDAY AT FRESNO

FRESNO. (U)—A vigorous battle for the endorsement of the California Republican assembly for the governorship is expected to develop tomorrow between the political forces of Gov. Frank P. Merriam and Lieut. Gov. George Hatfield at a statewide convention of the assembly here.

Whether the assembly will officially endorse candidates for governor, lieutenant governor and other offices prior to the August election primary will be the principal question before the two-day session.

11 Jailed In Traveler Check Plot

CHICAGO. (U)—George (Bugs) Moran, prohibition era gang chieftain, and Frankie Parker, one-time millionaire airplane bootlegger, were held by police today in connection with an investigation of an underworld plot to flood principal cities of the country with a quarter million dollars worth of fraudulent travelers' checks.

Nine other persons, accused of being members of the gigantic check ring, also were held. Four men and two women were seized with Moran and Parker. Three men were seized in Pittsburgh.

Snowline CCC Company To Full Strength

Approximately 114 enrollees for Snowline CCC company are scheduled to arrive this evening, raising the company enrollment to full strength. The advance guard of the camp, consisting of 63 enrollees and two officers, arrived a week ago from Suyamaca Rancho, near Los Angeles.

W. & R. PROTEST IS ALLOWED

Roseville And Folsom Must Complete April 10th Game Starting From 8th Frame

STANDINGS			
	W	L	Pct.
Auburn	2	0	1.000
Roseville W and R	1	0	1.000
Colfax	1	1	.500
Placerville	1	1	.500
Roseville Tigers	1	1	.500
Folsom	0	1	.000
Grass Valley	0	1	.000
Loomis	0	1	.000

Games Sunday

Colfax at Roseville Tigers.
Wolf and Royer at Loomis.
Placerville at Loomis.
Grass Valley at Folsom.

According to Allen G. Thurman, secretary of the Placer-Nevada Baseball League, president Clarence Gregory has allowed the protest filed by manager A. Wolf of the Wolf and Royer team of Roseville against the Folsom club for using player Clarence Hart as a coach in the game between the two teams on Sunday, April 10th, after Hart had been officially taken out of the game.

In his letter to the league secretary, president Gregory ruled that the use of Hart in the game after he had once been taken out of the line-up was contrary to the rules of baseball. Gregory advised that Hart's re-entry into the game was in violation of rule 17 section 2 of the official baseball rules.

In awarding the Wolf and Royer club the protest, president Gregory has ordered the game be replayed from the end of the eighth inning when the two clubs met in Folsom on July 10th.

Umpires for Sunday

At Roseville, Baker and Neves; at Folsom, Clancy and Moeller; at Loomis, Tindall and Davis; at Auburn, Winkelman and Perry.

Two Bartletts Lead Hitters

M. Woerner, Patterson Get Four For Seven In First Two Games Of League

Statistics released by league secretary "Scoop" Thurman show that Mack Woerner and Dick Patterson of the Placerville Bartletts lead the league in hitting for the first two games of the season. The Bartletts also lead the eight clubs in team batting for an average of .329.

Both Mack Woerner and Patterson have hit safely four times in seven trips to the plate.

Clyde Forefield, Wolf and Royer shortstop, is next in individual batting having hit safely five times in nine trips to the plate. His average is .555. In team hitting Wolf and Royer is batting for an average of .280. Next to Placerville the Folsom club is showing hitting power with an average of .300.

Thurman also revealed the Bartletts have signed pitched Bud Waters and that Loomis has signed a soothpaw, Doyle Tinkle.

Teachers' Association Met On Thursday

The regular meeting of the County Teachers' Association was held at a dinner Thursday evening at Hotel Radcliffe. Superintendent E. J. Fitzgerald reports there was a large attendance of teachers of the county and an active interest was demonstrated in the several topics discussed.

Paris Building Code Plans On Bombs

PARIS. (U)—France has gone a step further than Great Britain in air raids precautions by issuing an edict specifying that all new buildings must conform to certain standards of safety against air attack.

The edict declares that all roofs must be built so that the danger of incendiary bombs is counteracted and must be strong enough to resist the fall of a 20-lb. bomb.

"UPSIDE DOWN DINNER" AFFORDS COOK OPPORTUNITY FOR UNUSUAL

Sixth Annual Homecraft Institute Closes At Shakespeare Clubhouse This Afternoon With Another Capacity Audience Of County Housewives Applauding Mrs. Jane Barton

El Dorado County's sixth annual Homecraft Institute closed a three-day meeting this afternoon at the Shakespeare Clubhouse with another capacity audience of El Dorado County housewives following intently the program as presented by Mrs. Jane Barton.

The institute is presented under the joint sponsorship of Pacific Rural Press and this newspaper and included this year the Consumer's Clinic, along with the regular Home Appliance Exhibit, which is a feature of the institute each year.

Thursday evening the clubhouse was open from seven until nine o'clock for the special convenience of those who wished to inspect the Home Appliance Exhibit and a large number took advantage of this opportunity.

At the closing institute session, Mrs. Barton gave housewives an opportunity to cook for their own enjoyment as well as for their family's, in preparing the dishes for an "Upside Down Dinner." This provided for several unusual quirks in cooking. The dinner included barbecued chicken with rice and beans prepared in novel ways. Cookies using dried fruits, a very inexpensive meat dish, a simple salad and quick muffins made according to the latest rules were also prepared by Mrs. Barton.

The highlight of the afternoon was the curtain arrangement demonstration during which Jane Barton hung curtains up to windows, telling about them and showing how to have attractive yet inexpensive window treatments in every room of the house.

"The Wooden Box Man" made a personal appearance under the sponsorship of the county's lumber and wood-box employees. The stunt was a novel, entertaining and instructive feature of the afternoon.

Forest Camps Repair Starts

CCC Crews Working In Canyon On Blackbird, Maple Grove And Alder Creek Campgrounds

The repair of damage done by storms to the Blackbird, Maple Grove and Alder Creek campgrounds of the Forest Service in the American River canyon was begun this week.

C. C. Herbert, Eldorado Forest road superintendent, is in charge of the work which is being done by CCC enrollees of Snowline camp. Work was begun at Blackbird and following rehabilitation of that campground, the crews will move to Maple Grove campground and thence to Alder Creek.

All three campgrounds were badly damaged by the winter's high water, the principal destruction being wrought by the storm of mid-December. In the Blackbird camp, the work is chiefly cleaning up debris piled up by the river, which makes a bend at that point.

In Maple Grove and Alder Creek, notably Alder Creek, much of the land on which the campground was situated was washed out, along with some of the campground equipment.

It is planned that this phase of the rehabilitation work will be completed before the opening of the summer recreation season.

SACRAMENTO WINS FIRST AWARD IN NATIONAL HEALTH CONTEST

WASHINGTON. (U)—Boston was awarded first honors for cities with a population of more than 500,000 in the city health conservation contest conducted by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Other prize winners included: Cities from 50,000 to 100,000, Sacramento, Calif., first.

Special awards were made to Pasadena, Calif., which won two or more first awards in its population groups and was barred from the regular contest. A total of 263 cities competed.

DiMaggio Gets Lower Berth Enroute

ABOARD Streamliner City of San Francisco Enroute to New York. (U)—Joe DiMaggio, prodigal star of the New York Yankees, said today that he might need from five days to two weeks training before he joined the team, and that if Col. Jake Ruppert held out his \$162.35 daily salary until he began playing "then I'll just have to take it."

Joe moved out of his upper berth, the only one available when he took the eastbound Union Pacific yesterday, to a lower berth that became available en route, and a committee of grinning porters moved his bats and baggage through a crowded diner.

PANAY DAMAGE CLAIM IS PAID IN DRAFT BY JAPANESE

TOKYO. (U)—The foreign office today presented Eugene H. Doorman, counselor of the American embassy, with a draft for \$2,214,007.36 in full payment of the indemnity asked by the United States for a Japanese airplane attack on the gunboat Panay and three Standard oil ships.

Thus ended the most serious Japanese-American incident of the Chinese war, precipitated when Japanese navy airplanes swept down over the Yangtze river in China last December 12 and bombed the American ships—the Panay which had American diplomatic representatives and American and foreign newspapermen as passengers, in addition to its naval crew.

Bride-Elect Guest At Shower Thursday

Approximately thirty friends of Miss Myrtle Ann Tinker, whose engagement to wed Seth G. Beach recently was announced, tendered her a miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Violet Thomas, on Myrtle Avenue.

Miss Hazel Davey assisted the hostess. The honored guest received a varied assortment of useful and very attractive gifts. Games and sociability passed the evening.

District Scouters To Meet Monday Night

The April meeting of the El Dorado County district Boy Scout executive committee will be held Monday night at the study of the Rev. Harold Morehouse, at the Federated Church. Dr. Lester B. Rantz, chairman, reports the Spring activities program will be the main topic for discussion.

2 Plead Guilty Under Licensing Ordinance

William Adams and Homer Adams, who had been arrested earlier in the week pleaded guilty Friday morning before Acting Police Judge T. F. Lewis to charges of doing business without a city business license. The two, it is alleged, were canvassing. In lieu of a \$15 fine, a seven and one-half day jail term was imposed on William Adams. Homer Adams was given a thirty-day term, suspended.

CAMINO VOTES SCHOOL BONDS

\$8,000 Issue For Building Enlargement Is Approved By Overwhelming Majority

Camino school district, by a vote of 32 to 1, on Thursday approved the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$8,000 to provide for enlargement of the building.

John B. Hughes, secretary of the school trustees, reported at noon Friday that the results of the election had been given to him sealed in an envelope and that he therefore was not able to report "from the record."

However, he said he had been told that the vote was 32 in behalf of the bond issue and one opposed.

Mr. Hughes stated that for three years past, one class of the school has been meeting in the school auditorium and that the \$8,000 bond issue will go to provide for an additional classroom to relieve this overcrowded condition.

Farm Bureau Heads Meet

Directors Will Attend Two Centers During Month Of May; Coloma, Kelsey

The County Farm Bureau directors will attend two center meetings during the month of May, according to plans made at their meeting for the current month, held Thursday night at the Farm Advisor's office.

The policy of attending one center meeting a month as a group was instituted earlier in the year and during May the directors will attend the Coloma Center meeting and the Kelsey center meeting. This, it is understood, will give the directors the record of having met at least once with every center in the county during the past year.

Other business of the meeting, in addition to the reports of departmental chairman according to Secretary Roy Marks, included receipt of an invitation inviting the directors to the 4-H Club fun night at Coloma April 29; making plans for the Farm Bureau to furnish a hot dish at the annual 4-H Club-Farm bureau overnight camp June 18 and 19; and receipt of an invitation to attend the Mothers' Day picnic at Rescue, on May 8th.

Of particular interest in the reports by section chairman was the recommendation opposing repeal of the sales tax, which will be an issue in the November elections. This report was made by Chairman Harry Cridge, of the Farm Bureau's tax committee.

Landon Warns Against "Pump Priming"

TOPEKA, Kans. (U)—Former Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas today lashed out against President Roosevelt's lending-spending program, denouncing it as a definite "inflationary course" that can be halted after a year only by "miraculous courage."

"The time may be long, or it may be very short, before the day of reckoning comes to us," he said. "The material reserves of a country like America are so enormous it is impossible to predict with any accuracy when the final smash may come."

Surprise Housewarming For Chas. Gardella

Approximately twenty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardella surprised them at a housewarming at their new home on Spring street Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Gardella had moved to their new home last week-end. The surprise feature of the occasion was carefully carried out and Mr. and Mrs. Gardella were taken completely unaware. The group had united to present a set of dishes to the couple, and there were other attractive gifts.

Junior Forester Bert Parsons was at China Flat on Friday.

Farm Advisor Ivan Lilley was at Davis Friday on business.

WEATHER
Fair tonight, Saturday; no temperature change; high 71, low 39.

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1,650 Pinochle Score Explained By Player

CARANAC LAKE, N. Y. (UP)—William Buckley, who several months ago scored 1,650 points on a pinochle hand, has received a score of letters from curious players seeking to learn how the "unorthodox" score was made.

Buckley made the score under special rules prevailing at the Saranac Lake Moose Lodge card contests.

The score was made when he laid down eight aces, a run in trump and won every trick after he had melded 1150 points.

Winning every trick gave him 250 points, but under local "house rules" he earned an additional 250 points for melding his entire hand. This bonus jumped his score to 1650.

Buckley was playing in a four-handed game at a regular Moose card party.

ALBANY, N. Y. (UP)—An egg weighing half a pound and measuring eight by nine inches was laid by a White Leghorn hen owned by George Garrison.

NEW RULE Effective May 1st

A minimum charge of 50c for all classified advertising less than 50c run through the books as "Charge Accounts."

Classified ad rates: 10c a line for first insertion; 15c a line for three insertions; 25c a line for six insertions; 35c a line for twelve insertions; and 50c a line for one month. 25c minimum charge if paid for in advance.

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PARADE OF SPORTS

By HENRY McLEMORE (United Press Staff Writer)

NEW YORK. (UP)—Joe DiMaggio is speeding to New York in an upper berth to sign a contract for \$25,000.

I wish I had known in advance that Joe, when he traveled, was an upper berth patron, because such information would have offered a definite clue as to how the battle between Colonel Jacob Ruppert and him was coming out. What I mean is that no upper berth rider has much right to tilt financial lances with the Colonel. Any one challenging Jake in a battle where cold cash is the ammunition should be of the drawing room type at the very least. Because the Colonel, when he takes a cross-country ride, is fortified with enough of what it takes to have an entire train to himself, with a private engineer, fireman, conductor, porter, and brakeman.

There is one bright spot in Joe's trip in an upper berth, however. The Yankees won't have to worry about him being out of condition when he arrives Saturday. He'll be fit, hard as nails, ready to step right out in centerfield and pick up where he left off last fall.

There are few things that will condition a man more thoroughly than living in an upper berth for three or four days. It's a rigorous life, and my guess is that before DiMaggio reaches New York he will have reached a point of fitness that six full weeks in the St. Petersburg training camp would not have given him.

No road work or jogging around the bases ever was as exacting as trying to get in an upper berth. The little ladder the railroad companies furnish upper berth patrons is just a gag. From

the top step of it, to the inside of the stratosphere bunk, is where the work comes in. A man has got to have just a touch of Tarzan in him, or develop a touch of Tarzan, even to make it.

But it is the business of trying to put on one's pants of a morning that makes an upper berth a combination of mechanical horse, treadmill, stationary bicycle, trapeze, horizontal bars, and punching bag. The final maneuver in getting the pants on, alone, will steel a fellow's biceps, take off any surplus fat, and bring his coordination to razor keenness. This final maneuver involves a tremendous leap into the air from a prone posture, and a beautifully timed yanking on of the trousers. Usually three or four leaps are necessary, because only experts can escape having their legs and feet get tangled in the legs of the trousers on the first try.

Too, living in upper berth accustoms a man to loud and jeering criticism. When the fellow in the lower berth gets through telling DiMaggio what he thinks of all the commotion upstairs, he won't mind the boos and jeers of the centerfield bleacherites.

BRITAIN BLAMED FOR SOOT

LONDON. (UP)—The British government was blamed by delegates attending a smoke abatement conference here for creating a large part of the 75,000 tons of soot that falls over London every year.

Republican classified ads always pay.

NEW ENGINES, NO FIREMEN

PAWTUCKET, R. I. (UP)—When a new fire station was completed here last November, city officials bought two new pieces of apparatus for \$25,000. Neither ever has been used. The city fathers forgot to provide firemen to man the apparatus.

MAC'S JUMBO HOT DAWGS

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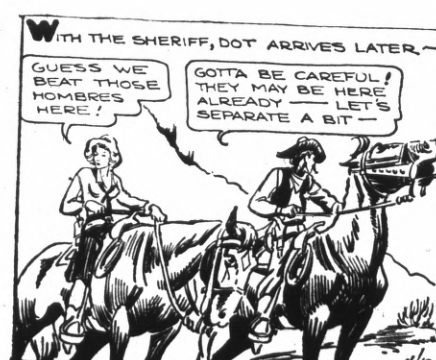
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BRONCHO BILL

In the Valley

By Harry F. O'Neill



50,000 BLUEJACKETS COMPLETE CAPTURE OF HAWAII

By CHARLES MOORE

United Press Staff Correspondent
HONOLULU, (UP)—Fifty thousand
sailors have completed the "capture" of
Honolulu.

With the war games at an end with
exception of maneuvers incidental to
the fleet's return to Pacific Coast bases
officers and men enjoyed 10 days' re-
laxation after a month of strenuous
duty in the annual mid-ocean exercises.

Hawaii, scene of the nation's heaviest
concentration of troops and armament,
is a favorite port with most fleet per-
sonnel.

The visitors got a bad break in wea-
ther this year at opening of their lib-
erty period, with low clouds and rain
prevailing, and a wind which local
people think is cold but may be a warm
breeze to those fresh from northern
cities.

Hector Williamson was among those
in town from Springvale Friday.



5 to 6 p. m.

KFBK—Strings; 5:15, Rhythm; 5:30,
Eddie Swarthout; 5:45, Sacra-
mento P.-T. A.

KROYL—Ghost of Benjamin Sweet;
5:30 News; 5:45 Matinee Recital.

KSFO—Al White; 5:15, Charlie Chan;
5:30, Sports; 5:45, Boake Carter.

KPO—Army Band; 5:30, Organ.

KGO—Concert, 5:15 News; 5:30 Eddie
Swarthout.

KPRC—Duo; 5:15 Jazz Nocturne;
5:30 Magic Isle; 5:45 Orphan
Annie.

6 to 7 p. m.

KFBK—Gene and Glenn; 6:15
Ricardo; 6:30 Harmony Four;
6:45 Your Government.

KROY—Dugout Dope; 6:15 Dance;
6:30 J. P. Mills; 6:45 Sign Off.

KSFO—Hollywood Hotel.

KPO—Duo; 6:15, Ricardo.

KGO—Trio; 6:15 Singers; 6:30 Spell-
ing Bee.

KPRC—Jack Armstrong; 6:15 Phant-
om Pilot; 6:30 Frank Bull; 6:45
John B. Hughes.

7 to 8 p. m.

KFBK—Sports; 7:15, On the Mail;
7:30, Everybody Sing.

KSFO—Song Shop; 7:45, Vocal Va-
rieties.

KPO—First Nighter; 7:30, Jimmy
Fidler; 7:45 Miss Dorothy Thomp-
son.

KGO—Paul Martin, 7:30 Col. Frank
Knox.

KPRC—Bamberger Symphony; 7:30
Lone Ranger.

8 to 9 p. m.

KFBK—Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15 Uncle
Ezra; 8:30, True Stories.

KSFO—Scattergood Baines; 8:15,
Lum and Abner; 8:30, Paul White-
man.

KPO—Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15, Uncle Ezra
8:30, Ruby Newman.

KGO—Jerry Blaine; 8:15 Baseball.

Theft Trial Near End

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made the opening argument for the de-
fense and was followed by Mr. Shep-
ard, whose discourse was interrupted
by adjournment for luncheon.

Upon the conclusion of Mr. Shep-
ard's argument at the afternoon ses-
sion, District Attorney Henry S. Lyon
will close for the state and, following
the court's instructions, the jury will
retire.

The principal defense argument in
behalf of the defendants as accused in
the several counts of grand theft which
remain against them is directed at the
question of whether there is sufficient
amount of corroborating evidence to
establish their guilt.

Witnesses who were called by the
state Thursday afternoon included
William L. Davey, Walter Harold Pes-
selmeyer, James H. Colvin, Harold H.
Hardy, John C. Miller, Dudley G. Daven-
port, William C. Davenport, Sheriff
George M. Smith, Gordon Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burns were
among the visitors in the county seat
from the Aukum section on Friday.

Beggar Is Jailed As Night Club Patron

BOSTON, (UP)—A municipal judge
has decided that Arthur Prudhomme,
36, no longer should be allowed to sit
on a Tremont Street sidewalk, display
a supposedly crippled arm and solicit
alms.

Prudhomme was sentenced to one
month in jail for soliciting alms with-
out a license after it was testified his "so-
liciting day," he would go to his hotel,
don a tuxedo and take his sweetheart
to night clubs.

Prudhomme said he considered \$30 a
good day's receipts.

Lighthouse Keeper Is 3 Storms Short

STOCKTON SPRINGS ME. (UP)—
Capt. Arthur Mitchell, keeper of the
Fort Point lighthouse, is waiting anx-
iously for three more snowstorms.

Last fall Mitchell predicted there
would be 38 such storms during the
winter. So far there have been 35.

CIDER QUENCHES FIRE

WILKES BARRE, Pa., (UP)—No water
was available so 50 gallons of cider
were carried from the cellar and used
to extinguish a roof fire at the home of
Albert B. Huff.

CORNELL WOMAN ISSUES BROAD STATEMENT ON BEAUTY

ITHACA, N. Y. (UP)—Any girl can be
good looking "if she follows the rules,"
believes Mrs. Gladys Butt, instructor in
the College of Home Economics, Corn-
ell University.

"The rules" are laid down in a new
course for freshmen girls at the uni-
versity, which teaches them how to im-
prove their looks by proper grooming.

Among the facilities of the course
is a beauty shop where the students
learn to give each other shampoos, fa-
cials, manicures, hair dressings and
other beauty aids.

12-Year-Old Believed Youngest U. S. Co-Ed

WAXACHIE, Tex., Sue Tilyn Strip-
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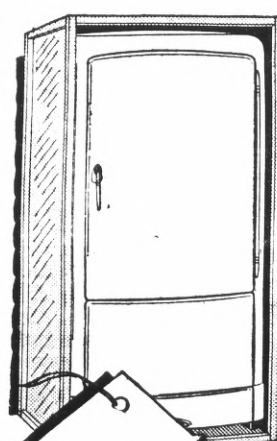
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LUNAR ECLIPSE WILL BE TOTAL IN U. S. ON MAY 14TH

DELAWARE, O., A total eclipse of the moon will be visible May 14 over North and South America, Australia and the Pacific Ocean.

The eclipse, first since July, 1935, will continue for 50 minutes beginning at 3:18 a. m. EST, according to calculation at Perkins Observatory, Ohio Wesleyan University.

Astronomers explained that the phenomenon which has little scientific value occurs when the sun and moon move directly opposite each other with the earth between.

As the eclipse becomes visible, the moon moves through the shadow cast by the earth opposite the sun. The so-called eclipse happens because the moon's visibility to the earth's inhabitants depends on the reflection of the sun's rays.

Log of the May 14 eclipse, based on Eastern Standard time, will be as follows:

12:44 a. m.—Light outer shadow of the earth begins to encroach upon the moon's disc.

1:57—Dark "umbra" or the main shadow of the earth rolls over the moon.

3:18—Total eclipse begins.

3:44—Midway point in eclipse.

4:09—End of total eclipse.

5:31—"Umbra" shadow leaves moon.

6:43—Light shadow or "penumbra" leaves moon.

During the eclipse, the moon will be 247,000 miles from the earth, while the earth's shadow will extend 867,000 miles.

"A place for everything" is a place where one can't find anything. Divide that place into compartments and make each a place for one thing.

NOTICE OF HEARING

Agricultural Probate Petition No. 19 BEFORE THE AGRICULTURAL PROBATE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the petition of

Walter G. Brown, Santa Clara

G. H. Weston, Santa Clara

D. H. Sim, San Jose

Howard Anderson, San Jose

J. A. Irving, Placerville

H. B. Murphy, Placerville

J. B. Danielson, Suisun

M. C. Hyde, Sonoma

M. B. Heston, Napa

John P. Nola, Placerville

J. B. Francis, Auburn

Orval Tadlock, Ukiah

John D. Wheeler, Courtland

D. J. Elliott, Courtland

W. P. Darsie, Walnut Grove

R. L. Mason, Cordelia

C. J. Rolph, Colfax

H. V. Coops, Sonoma

and others, for the institution of a

Program of prorated marketing with

respect to Bartlett pears for canning.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

there has been filed with the Agricultural Probate Commission of the

State of California by Walter G. Brown

and others, a petition for the institut-

ing of Bartlett pears for canning

proposed within a proposed marketing

zone composed of the entire State of Cal-

ifornia. Said petition alleges that it

is signed by at least two-thirds of the

producers of Bartlett pears for canning

in said proposed zone and by the owners

of at least fifty-one per cent of the

marketing factors therein.

Said petition will be heard on Tues-

day, the 3rd day of May, 1938, at ten

o'clock A. M. in the Auditorium of the

Public Works Building, 11th and N

Streets, in the City of Sacramento,

State of California, at which time and

place all persons interested may ap-

pear and be heard.

Hearing to consider the prorated

marketing program proposed under

said petition will also be held at the

same time and place.

Dated at Sacramento, California, this

16th day of April, 1938.

By order of the Agricultural Probate

Commission.

EDSON ABEL, Secretary.

Apr.-22-1t.

TREE FRUIT REFERENDUM POSTPONED PENDING CHANGES

Postponement of the growers' referendum on the new California Tree Fruit Agreement recently given tentative approval by the Secretary of Agriculture was announced today from AAA headquarters at San Francisco.

"In view of the additional changes in the tentatively approved agreement which have been requested by the industry, the referendum is being held up," stated E. L. Markell, local AAA representative.

"As soon as the agreement has been revised in line with the industry's recommendations, and this revised agreement given tentative approval by the Secretary of Agriculture, ballots for the referendum will be mailed to growers immediately," Markell said.

Changes were requested by the control committee of the old tree fruit agreement at their April meeting, following consideration of the provisions of the new management at tentatively approved April 13.

The new Federal marketing agreement was developed by California growers to assist in the interstate marketing of fresh Bartlett pears, plums, Elberta peaches and Beurre-Hardy pears. It would replace the agreement and order operating since May of 1936. The tree fruit industry has had a Federal marketing program in effect during the past four shipping seasons.

Unattractive Typist Wins Proposal

CLEVELAND, (UP)—Irma Saxton, 20, a stenographer, wrote this newspaper advertisement:

"Stenographer, unattractive, inefficient, indignant, wants big opportunity for little effort."

The idea, no longer new, nevertheless brought four possible jobs, and a marriage proposal.

MONTREAL, (UP)—A premonition of death must have directed thieves to an address on St. Germain street. The address is a coffin factory and the loot consisted of three \$125 coffins.

S. F. Teamsters Offer "Peace" To Farmers

SAN FRANCISCO, (UP)—The teamsters union, answering charges of the associated farmers of California that agriculturists "must pay tribute to unions in San Francisco," announced today the signing of a 22 month agreement guaranteeing that no farmer or his family bringing their own products to San Francisco market will meet union interference.

Jungle Monkeys Suffer Many Bone Fractures

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (UP)—The jungle animals are beset with disease and injury, according to observations made by Harvard scientists on a recent field trip to Siam, Borneo and Sumatra.

Their findings dispute the old theory that jungle animals live in a state of blissful health in nature and complicate the picture of natural selection in animal evolution.

The expedition found that almost all gibbons, orang-utans and macaques studied in Borneo were infested with parasites. More than 10 per cent of the monkeys were found to have suffered serious bone fractures.

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NARCOTIC FANS FRENZY OF TERRORISTS IN JERUSALEM

By JACOB SIMON

United Press Staff Correspondent
JERUSALEM (UP)—The virulent drug hashish apparently is playing a large part in keeping Arab terrorism fanned to fever pitch.

Nearly all terrorists captured by the police and troops have been found to be under the influence of the drug, whose increased smuggling into this country has presented authorities with a problem almost as serious as the Arab-Jew disturbances.

Men of the East have used hashish for centuries. The word "assassin" is derived from its name. And today, according to authorities, the Arab bands swallow large doses before they go out to ambush and kill in the hills around Jerusalem.

According to the Arab press in the Arab city of Jaffa alone 10,000 hashish addicts are known to the police out of a population of 60,000.

Republican classified ads always pay.

"Speedway" Patrol Nabs Complaining Citizen

DETROIT, (UP)—John J. Peltz asked police to patrol the street past his home because motorists made it "resemble a speedway." The patrolman assigned there, handed his first ticket for speeding to Peltz.

A card from Ted Atwood, postmarked at Los Angeles April 20, indicates he is en route home from New England, where he recently completed a special course in training at the headquarters of the Travelers Insurance Company. Ted reports Atlanta and New Orleans as among the most beautiful cities on his itinerary.

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	Flour Golden State—49-lb. sack 24 1/2-lb sack	\$1.23 63c	Spinach Fresh Crisp
	Tomatoes Rich flavor—with Puree Large No. 2 1/2 cans	3 cans 25c	3 lbs. 10c
	Grapefruit Juice Del Monte— No. 2 cans	can 10c	Fresh Peas Full Pods
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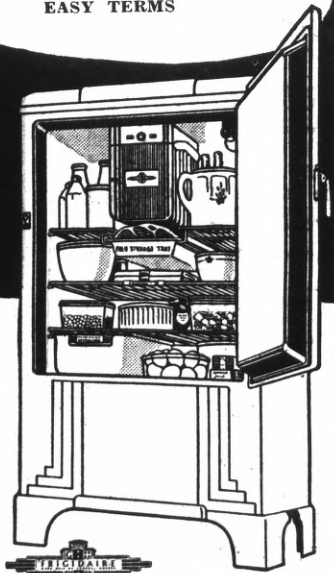
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